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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

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three months to March 25, 2002; the extension fee is:

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[] The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated _____.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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